

## Message Text

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ACTION EB-08

INFO OCT-01 EUR-12 EA-10 ISO-00 AID-05 CIAE-00 COME-00  
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FM AMEMBASSY LONDON  
TO SECSTATE WASHDC 1931  
INFO AMEMBASSY BONN  
AMEMBASSY TOKYO

C O N F I D E N T I A L LONDON 00535

E.O. 11652: GDS  
TAGS: EMIN, PORG, ITC  
SUBJECT: TIN -- EIGHTH SESSION OF THE INTERNATIONAL  
TIN COUNCIL (ITC)

REF: STATE 5666

1. AS OF COB JANUARY 10 UK POSITION STILL NOT FINALLY  
APPROVED BUT HEAD OF UK DELEGATION MICHAEL JOHNSON STILL  
FELT FINAL POSITION WOULD BE FIRM AGAINST REPEAT AGAINST  
ANY PRICE RANGE INCREASE. JOHNSON PROMISED TO KEEP  
EMBASSY INFORMED.

2. JAPANESE EMBOFF (MINISTER SANO) TOLD THIGPEN  
MORNING OF JANUARY 11 THAT HE ALSO DID NOT HAVE FINAL  
POSITION BUT BELIEVED JAPAN WOULD SUPPORT "HARD LINE"  
AGAINST INCREASE. SANO SAID HE HAD DISCUSSED MATTER IN  
TELECON WITH MITTI WHICH SUPPORTS U.S. POSITION. HE  
THOUGHT, HOWEVER, THERE WAS A POSSIBILITY OF A SPLIT  
WITHIN THE DEPARTMENT OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS, WITH THE  
ASIAN DIVISION SUPPORTING A SOFTER LINE. NEVERTHELESS  
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HE SEEMED TO THINK THOSE FAVORING STANDING FIRM WITH  
THE U.S. WOULD PREVAIL.

3. RE PARA 5 OF REFTTEL, SANO WILL BE AVAILABLE SUNDAY  
IF MEETING MATERIALIZES.

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## Message Attributes

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